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Lin Kramer, Mine Manager
Nu-West Industries, Inc. – South Rasmussen Ridge Mine
3010 Conda Road
Soda Springs, ID 83276

Re: May 15, 2008, NPDES Storm Water Compliance Inspection
NPDES MSGP Tracking No. IDR05A382

Dear Mr. Kramer:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recently inspected your facility near Soda Springs, Idaho to determine its compliance with the requirements of the Clean Water Act and the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Multi-Sector General Permit (MSGP), Tracking No. IDR05A382 (Permit). I would like to express my appreciation for your company's time and cooperation during the inspection.

The inspectors noted the following concerns during the inspection: (1) failure to include daily inspection and routine maintenance log with the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan; and (2) failure to duly authorize certain staff members to provide certification signatures for required reports. I understand that these concerns were immediately corrected. The inspector also found that Nu-West no longer completed the Quarterly Visual Monitoring Reports because the mine was currently inactive. Staff from the Dry Valley Mine, however, were present at South Rasmussen Ridge Mine during spring runoff to ensure the proper operation and maintenance of existing storm water best management practices (BMPs). I appreciate your staff's continued attention to improve BMP maintenance, general housekeeping, and documentation.

Although it is EPA's goal to ensure NPDES facilities comply fully with their permits, the ultimate responsibility rests with the facility. As such, we strongly encourage your company to maintain full knowledge of the applicable NPDES requirements and other appropriate statutes, and to take all appropriate measures to ensure compliance.

If you have any questions, please call Eva Chun at (206) 553-1970.

Sincerely,

Kimberly A. Ogle, Manager
NPDES Compliance Unit

cc: Jeff Cundick, BLM
Jeff Jones, USFS

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Lin Kramer, Mine Manager
Nu-West Industries, Inc.
Dry Valley Mine
3010 Conda Road
Soda Springs, ID 83276

Re: May 13, 2008, NPDES Storm Water Compliance Inspection
NPDES MSGP Tracking No. IDR05A382

Dear Mr. Kramer:

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Sincerely,

Kimberly A. Ogle, Manager
NPDES Compliance Unit

cc: Jeff Cundick, BLM
Jeff Jones, USFS

Jeff Cundick
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Jeff Jones
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Caribou-Targhee National Forest
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Soda Springs, Idaho 83276

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NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Daniel Kline
Mine Manager
Nu-West Industries, Inc.
Rasmussen Ridge Mine
3010 Conda Road
Soda Springs, ID 83276

Re: April 27-28, 2005 NPDES Storm Water Compliance Inspection
NPDES Multi-Sector General Permit Tracking No. IDR05A382

Dear Mr. Kline:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") recently inspected Nu-West Industries, Inc.'s ("Nu-West") Rasmussen Ridge Mine located near Soda Springs, Idaho to determine its compliance with the requirements of the Clean Water Act and the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("NPDES") Storm Water Multi-Sector General Permit for Industrial Activities ("MSGP"). I would like to express my appreciation for your company's time and cooperation during the inspection.

During the inspection, the inspectors reviewed areas of your facility that had the greatest potential for storm water discharges. In particular, they inspected the storm water retention ponds ("SWRP") that are located at the headwaters of the West Fork of the Sheep Creek drainage, a water of the United States, and those that they observed discharging, including the Pre-Agrum pond, SWRP #s 6B and 20. A review of the inspection report and facility records has identified the following violation and concerns:

VIOLATION

According to Part 3.3 of the MSGP, "Your discharges must not be causing or have the reasonable potential to cause or contribute to a violation of a water quality standard." During the time of the inspection, discharges from SWRP #s 6B and 20 were entering No Name Creek and Rasmussen Valley Creek, respectively. Analytical sampling results indicate that discharges from



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both ponds exceeded acute (5 ug/l) and chronic (20 ug/l) water quality standards for total selenium with SWRP #6B measuring at 47 ug/l and SWRP #20 measuring at 24.2 ug/l. In-stream sampling immediately below the discharges from SWRP #s 6B and 20 were measured at 16 ug/l and 23.5 ug/l, respectively. These results indicate that the best management practices ("BMPs") implemented in these areas to prevent or minimize pollutants from entering waters of the U.S. via storm water discharges are inadequate. You must take measures to minimize or eliminate the impacts of these discharges into waters of the U.S. Any updates or changes in your operations or BMPs must then be reflected in your storm water pollution prevention plan ("SWPPP").

CONCERNS

- (1) Maintenance of SWRP #3. At the time of the inspection, the inspectors observed that the berm material around the outlet culvert from SWRP #3 was eroding. This problem was apparently observed in the previous year. The concern is that this berm could further erode, causing a catastrophic failure that may result in water quality problems in the West Fork of Sheep Creek.
- (2) Potential discharge from SWRP #4. At the time of the inspection, Nu-West had installed a pumpback system that prevented any discharge from SWRP #4 from entering SWRP #5. When the water in SWRP #4 reaches a certain level, the pumps are activated and the water is pumped to the backfill pit. Although no discharges were observed from SWRP #4 during the inspection, a depression was observed directly below the outfall from SWRP #4 indicating that discharges had occurred in the past. However, your staff indicated that no discharges had occurred from SWRP #4 in the past three or four years. We are concerned about the effectiveness of this system considering that SWRP #5 or the pre-Agrium pond continues to discharge pollutants at levels of concern. It is likely that contaminated waste water is discharging to the alluvium which is in direct hydrologic connection with the West Fork. It is recommended that inspections of SWRPs be aggressively conducted during known periods of high flows (e.g., spring melt) and rainfall to ensure that no discharges are occurring.
- (3) Responsibility for SWRP #5 (or Pre-Agrium Pond). Recent attention has been focused on discharges from SWRP #5. In previous years, Nu-West has claimed responsibility for the pond, but they made it clear during this past year's inspection that the pond was built prior to Agrium's (i.e., Nu-West's) involvement in the property. As a result, they have renamed the pond "pre-Agrium pond" and have indicated that they no longer maintain this pond. EPA understands that Nu-West and the U.S. Forest Service are currently negotiating over the terms and agreements for responsibility of SWRP #5. EPA's primary concern remains the on-going discharges to the West Fork of Sheep Creek from the series of ponds in the drainage. As these ponds are constructed in waters of the U.S., they are themselves waters of the U.S.

(4) Responsibility for Haul Road Runoff. Nu-West's Rasmussen Ridge Mine is adjacent to P4 Production's ("P4") South Rasmussen Mine and both share certain sections of the haul road. Depending on the location of the haul road, drainage from the haul road is either collected by storm water retention ponds managed by either Nu-West or by P4. Because the Rasmussen Ridge Mine is inactive, only P4 currently uses the haul road. It is unclear from conversations with both Nu-West and P4 who is responsible for any discharge problems associated with the haul road. It is recommended that Nu-West and P4 clarify these responsibilities over haul road runoff and make any agreements known to the relevant government agencies.

Within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter, you must inform EPA of the steps you have taken to come into compliance with the Clean Water Act and to prevent future noncompliance. Include a schedule of implementation. In addition, you must submit an updated copy of your SWPPP that includes the newly incorporated BMPs used to control storm water discharges from your site. Ensure that the SWPPP contains the last five years of comprehensive site compliance evaluations, the quarterly visual monitoring, and any sampling of discharges. You do not need to provide a copy of the MSGP. Address all correspondence to Eva Chun, Compliance Officer, at the following address:

Eva Chun
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
NPDES Compliance Unit
1200 Sixth Avenue (OCE-133)
Seattle, WA 98101

As a result of EPA's 308 Information Request dated January 24, 2005, Nu-West has implemented a sampling work plan to better understand and evaluate the effectiveness of the storm water mitigation measures implemented in the headwaters of the West Fork of the Sheep Creek drainage for each of the next three years. Your 2005 report was received and initial evaluation indicates that pollutants from your site may be largely responsible for the pollutant loading into the Sheep Creek drainage. We expect you to continue the same degree of monitoring and sampling for 2006 and 2007 in accordance with your workplan and the 308 Information Request.

It is EPA's goal to ensure facilities subject to the Clean Water Act fully comply with their permits; however, the ultimate responsibility for compliance rests with the facility. We strongly encourage your company to continue its efforts to become familiar with the terms of any relevant permits and to take appropriate measures to ensure full compliance. Notwithstanding your response to this letter, EPA retains all rights to pursue enforcement actions to address these and any other violations. These actions may include monetary penalties of up to \$32,500 per day, per violation.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions regarding this letter or other matters related to your compliance with the Clean Water Act. If you have any comments or questions regarding this letter, contact David Tomten, Geologist, at (208) 378-5763 or Eva Chun, Compliance Officer, at (206) 553-1970.

Sincerely,



Michael A. Bussell, Director
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Daniel Kline
Mine Manager
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Soda Springs, ID 83276

Re: Comments on 308 Information Request Workplan
NPDES Multi-Sector General Permit Tracking No. IDR05A382

Dear Mr. Kline:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed Nu-West Industries, Inc.'s (Nu-West) draft workplan developed in response to our January 24, 2005 Section 308 Information Request. EPA appreciates Nu-West's efforts in developing a workplan to characterize its storm water impacts on the West Fork of Sheep Creek drainage. However, we believe the workplan could be greatly improved with the following recommendations. We would expect to approve this workplan once these recommendations are incorporated.

Overall storm water characterization approach. Based on the workplan, it is unclear when Nu-West would begin sampling activities and how storm water flow would be characterized, especially for short duration runoff events. An overall strategy needs to be articulated for how Nu-West intends to characterize storm water runoff that addresses the following items.

First, it should describe the overall approach for determining when storm water is discharging from the site - whether it is for a short period immediately following a precipitation event or warm day, or whether it is continuously for several weeks every spring. This will likely require frequent visual monitoring. We understand that during spring melt, Nu-West employees inspect the drainage twice a day. However, an effort should be made to estimate the volume of discharge during the discharge event.

Second, describe your approach to chemically characterize storm water during these discharge events. Sampling events should coincide with runoff or discharge resulting from precipitation events or spring snowmelt. Emphasis should be placed on Storm Water Retention Ponds (SWRP) Nos. 4 and 5. At a minimum, sampling events should be conducted no less than once every two weeks for the period bracketing the runoff hydrograph (approximately April,

May, and June). Ensure that each sample is clearly identified as an overflow/discharge event or from within the pond. Less frequent sampling may be appropriate for other sample sites within the drainage.

Spring and seep survey and sampling. Nu-West acknowledges the existence of at least two springs or seeps near the toe of the dump above the West Fork of Sheep Creek. Nu-West should characterize the discharge from these springs or seeps by figuring out flow rate, seasonal duration of flow, and at least one sample analyzed each spring. The entire area should also be inspected (*i.e.*, walked) when springs or seeps are expected to be at the highest discharge rate to determine if there are other as yet unidentified springs or seeps. This task should be repeated once a year for three years.

Sampling off-lease boundary. Although SWRP No. 5 is not within the lease boundary of Nu-West, Nu-West is not prohibited from conducting sampling of SWRP No. 5 as well as sampling further down the drainage. Indeed, it is preferred and recommended that Nu-West sample SWRP No. 5 in order to gain a fuller picture of the facility's impacts on the West Fork of Sheep Creek drainage. EPA has discussed this issue with the federal land manager for the U.S. Forest Service (FS) who is responsible for this area. If necessary, FS will provide Nu-West with a letter permitting it to take samples on FS managed lands that are not within Nu-West's lease area.

Pollutants of concern. Ensure that selenium, cadmium, chromium, nickel, zinc, vanadium, and hardness are sampled. All should be reported as dissolved, except for selenium which should be reported as total recoverable.

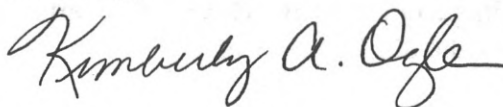
Map. Include a map with your workplan, clearly identifying surface water sampling areas, BMPs, location of dumps, waters of the U.S., etc.

QAP Plan. Within the plan, ensure that a method detection limit of 1.0 ug/L for selenium is achievable for the approved EPA method chosen.

Finally, in Nu-West's response to EPA's Notice of Violation, Nu-West proposes to make improvements on SWRP No. 4 (page 4). If improvements are to be made, it should be done in consultation with the FS.

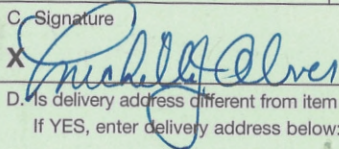
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Sincerely,



Kimberly A. Ogle, Manager
NPDES Compliance Unit

cc: Anita Lusty, USFS
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NOTICE OF VIOLATION and REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

David Farnsworth
Business Unit Lead - Mineral Activities
P4 Production's South Rasmussen Mine
1853 Hwy. 34
P.O. Box 816
Soda Springs, ID 83276-0816

Re: September 14, 2004 NPDES Storm Water Compliance Inspection
NPDES Multi-Sector General Permit Tracking No. IDR05A351

Dear Mr. Farnsworth:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") recently inspected P4 Production's ("P4") South Rasmussen Mine located near Soda Springs, Idaho to determine its compliance with the requirements of the Clean Water Act and the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("NPDES") Storm Water Multi-Sector General Permit for Industrial Activities ("MSGP"). I would like to express my appreciation for your company's time and cooperation during the inspection.

During the inspection, the inspectors reviewed areas of your facility that had the greatest potential for storm water discharges. In particular, they inspected the Haul Road Pond that discharges into Agrium's Storm Water Retention Pond No. 5 ("SWRP No. 5"). The Haul Road Pond and SWRP No. 5 are located at the headwaters to the West Fork of the Sheep Creek drainage, a water of the United States. These ponds have been the focus of EPA's attention in the past few years because storm water discharges from the Haul Road Pond and SWRP No. 5 have shown elevated concentrations of selenium that exceed Idaho water quality standards. A review of our records, your storm water pollution prevention plan ("SWPPP"), and the inspection reports have identified the following violations:

VIOLATION 1: MSGP Part 1.2.3.5

Part 1.2.3.5 of the MSGP states that, "You are not authorized for storm water discharges that the Director determines will cause, or have reasonable potential to cause or contribute to, violations of water quality standards." While the Haul Road Pond is designed to retain storm

water, EPA is aware of at least four instances in the past five years when storm water discharges from the Haul Road Pond have occurred and exceeded the State chronic water quality standards for selenium of 5 $\mu\text{g/l}$. The dates of such exceedances are April 29, 2002, May 22, 2002, August 12, 2002, and May 8, 2003. The concentration of selenium in discharges from the pond have been measured at levels up to 15.9 $\mu\text{g/l}$.

Although EPA understands that the Haul Road Pond discharges into SWRP No. 5, discharges from SWRP No. 5 enter the headwaters of the West Fork of the Sheep Creek. As such, EPA believes that discharges from the Haul Road Pond have a reasonable potential to cause or contribute to violations of water quality standards. Such discharges are not eligible for coverage under the MSGP.

VIOLATION 2: Part 4.2 of the MSGP

A review of your SWPPP reveals certain deficiencies. These are described in more detail in the attachment to the inspection report. You must ensure all elements listed in Part 4.2 are included in the SWPPP.

INFORMATION REQUESTED

As a result of past exceedances of the selenium water quality standard, EPA is concerned about potential discharges of contaminated storm water to waters of the United States. To better understand and evaluate the effectiveness of your storm water mitigation measures, EPA requests that P4 submit specified water sampling data and conduct an annual survey of the Haul Road Pond located near the headwaters of the West Fork of the Sheep Creek drainage for the next three years. The sampling data and annual surveys are requested pursuant to Section 308 of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1318. The requested information is necessary in order for EPA to evaluate your compliance with the Clean Water Act.

The purpose of this work is to evaluate the effectiveness of the mitigation strategies used in this drainage at reducing discharges of pollutants to Sheep Creek by conducting spring and seep surveys, directly measuring flow and pollutant concentrations in Sheep Creek below the Haul Road Pond, and directly measuring flow and pollutant concentrations from point sources into the drainage. These surveys will provide a more direct measure of the effectiveness of mitigation actions used in the drainage.

EPA requests that P4 provide the information below no later than the specified due date:

1. P4 shall submit all water sampling data that P4 has collected from the West Fork of the Sheep Creek drainage and the ponds flowing into the drainage for the years 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, and 2004. P4 must include the sampling location, date of sampling, the contaminants analyzed, and the analytical results. P4 shall submit this information to EPA and the U.S. Forest Service within forty-five (45) days of receipt of this letter.

2. P4 shall prepare a work plan for the survey and testing of water in the Haul Road Pond, the seepage below the Haul Road Pond, the overflow of the small pond found between the Haul Road Pond and Agrium's SWRP No. 5, as well as any storm water discharges from the Haul Road Pond. P4 shall submit the plan to EPA and the U.S. Forest Service for review within forty-five (45) days of receipt of this letter. The plan shall be in the form of a quality assurance plan and include sampling locations, sampling frequency, and contaminants to be tested. Information to be collected shall include the location of seeps, flow data, and concentrations of contaminants of potential concern.
3. P4 shall implement the work plan during the 2005, 2006, and 2007 spring run off period.
4. P4 shall submit to EPA and the U.S. Forest Service a report describing the findings of each annual survey and test results by July 30 of each year.

The information requested above shall be signed and certified in accordance with the requirements Part 9.7.4 of the MSGP and submitted to Eva Chun, Compliance Officer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and the District Ranger, U.S. Forest Service, at the following addresses:

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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
NPDES Compliance Unit
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U.S. Forest Service
Caribou-Targhee National Forest
410 East Hooper
Soda Springs, Idaho 83276

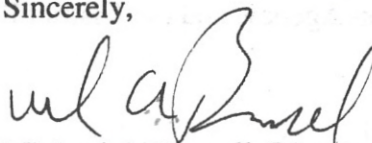
The failure to provide all the information requested, the failure to adequately explain the basis for such failure, or the making of any false material statement or representation in response to this Request for Information constitutes a violation of Section 308 of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1318, and may result in an enforcement action and the imposition of civil and/or criminal penalties or fines pursuant to Section 309 of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1319, and Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

Although the information requested must be submitted to EPA, you are entitled to assert a business confidentiality claim pursuant to the regulations set forth in 40 C.F.R. Part 2, Subpart B. If EPA determines the information you have designated meets the criteria in 40 C.F.R. § 2.208, the information will be disclosed only to the extent and by means of the procedures specified in Subpart B. Unless a confidentiality claim is asserted at the time the requested information is submitted, EPA may make the information available to the public without further notice to you.

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Sincerely,



Michael A. Bussell, Director
Office of Compliance and Enforcement

Enclosure

cc: Rick Clegg, IDEQ, w/o enc.
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Jeff Jones, USFS, w/o enc.
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Longitude: Not Available		
Is facility/project located on Indian Land: Not Available		
Reservation Name: Not Applicable		
Is this a Federal facility/project: N		
Additional Information		
Receiving Water: BLANK;		
MS4: No		
ESA Criterion: .		
Historic Preservation:		
Sector(s): ;		
SIC Primary Code: Phosphate rock		
Certification		
Certified By: Don Larue		Date Certified: 01/16/2001

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